1 2 3 4 5 6 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON 7 AT TACOMA 8 PATRICK GATHIGI KARANJA, 9 No. C09-5391RBL/KLS 10 Plaintiff, ORDER GRANTING APPLICATION TO v. 11 PROCEED IN FORMA PAUPERIS ASSOCIATE WARDEN NWDC, et al., 12 Defendants. 13 14 15 Before the Court is Plaintiff's application for leave to proceed in forma pauperis. Dkt. 3. 16 Plaintiff's application for leave to proceed in forma pauperis shall be **GRANTED**. Plaintiff is 17 currently detained at the Northwest Detention Center, Tacoma, Washington, and does not appear 18 to have funds available to afford the \$350.00 court filing fee. 19 The Clerk is directed to mail a copy of this Order to Plaintiff. 20 21 22 DATED at Tacoma, Washington this 29th day of July, 2009. 23 24 25 Karen L. Strombom United States Magistrate Judge 26

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